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39. *Vijayavada Water-supply—Re-arrangement of distribution system.*—Work has already been completed.

40. *Rajahmundry Partial Drainage Scheme.*—The entire work has already been completed.

APPENDIX X.

[Vide answer to unstarred question No. 151 asked by Sri K. Krishna Rao at the meeting of the Legislative Assembly held on 22nd July 1953, page 961 supra.]

G.O. Ms. No. 1149, Home, dated 25th March 1948.

Police—Special Armed Police Units—Selection and appointment of Subordinate Officers—Instructions—*Ad hoc* rule—Issued.

The Government do not consider it desirable to delegate the powers to relax rules as proposed in the Inspector-General's letter first cited. The *ad hoc* rules issued in paragraph 3 of this order will serve the purpose in view.

2. The Inspector-General is requested to see that only the best men available are selected and appointed to the Special Armed Police Units. He is also requested to direct that when two or more persons are appointed simultaneously, their order of seniority should be fixed at the time of passing the order of appointment.

3. The following notification will be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette* :—

NOTIFICATION.

In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 8 and 10 of the Madras District Police Act, 1859 (Central Act XXIV of 1859) and sections 9 and 11 of the Madras City Police Act, 1888 (Madras Act III of 1888) read with section 243 of the Government of India Act, 1935, His Excellency the Governor of Madras hereby makes the following rules.

The rules hereby made shall be deemed to have come into force on the 7th November 1947.

RULES.

1. The provisions of the Special Rules for the Malabar Special Police Subordinate Service except rules 3, 6, 8, 9 and 11 (*a*) shall, so far as may be, apply to the subordinate officers and men in the Special Armed Police Units, subject to the modification that in rule 17 (*b*) of the said rules, the second sentence shall be omitted.

2. The appointing authority for the said officers and men shall be the Special Officer for the Organization and Control of the Special Armed Police Units.

3. Nothing contained in the Special Rules for the Madras Police Subordinate Service shall apply to the said officers and men.